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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS	Attorney Docket No.	1293.1243
	Application Number	09/994,928
	Filing Date	November 28, 2001
	First Named Inventor	Ki-hyun KIM
	Group Art Unit	To be assigned

Title:	APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR SIGNAL PROCESSING

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f) and in response to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed <u>December 6, 2001</u> for the above-identified application, enclosed are the following:

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☒ Executed Combined Declaration/Power of Attorney executed by the inventor for completing the missing parts of the subject application. The undersigned registered attorney states that the subject application is the application which the inventor executed by signing the attached Declaration.

☐ Formal Drawings (__Sheets; Figs _____)

☐ English-language translation of application (with Translator's Statement (pages __))

☐ Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status

Enclosed is a payment of the following:

☒ The filing fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(a)		$ 740.00
☒ The additional claim(s) fee (4 claims over 20)		$ 72.00
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☐ English language translation fee		$
☒ Surcharge as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e)		$130.00
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☐ Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.27)		.00
SUBTOTAL FEES:		$1278.00
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Since the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application set an <u>original</u> due date of __, petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month ($110)); (2 months ($400)); (3 months ($920)); (4 months ($1,440)); (5 months ($1,960)):

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☒   Check enclosed as payment.

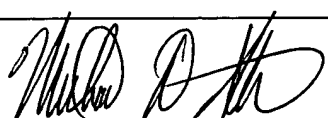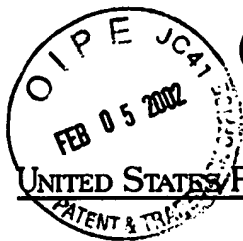☐   Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. 19-3935, below.

AUTHORIZATION

☒   If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees under 37 CFR 1.16 or 1.17 necessary to maintain pendency of the present application to:

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
  Applicant must submit $ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is $408.
  - $72 for 4 total claims over 20.
  - $336 for 4 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.
  A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of $130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is $ 1278.**

A copy of this notice __MUST__ be returned with the reply.

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